

Senate File 208 - Introduced

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A BILL FOR

1 An Act concerning local ordinances regulating access to wine,
2 beer, and liquor control licensed establishments by any
3 person nineteen years of age or older.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 123.39, subsection 2, Code 2015, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 2. Local authorities may suspend any retail wine or
4 beer permit or liquor control license for a violation of
5 any ordinance or regulation adopted by the local authority.
6 Local authorities may adopt ordinances or regulations for the
7 location of the premises of retail wine or beer and liquor
8 control licensed establishments and local authorities may adopt
9 ordinances, not in conflict with this chapter and that do
10 not diminish the hours during which beer, wine, or alcoholic
11 beverages may be sold or consumed at retail, governing any
12 other activities or matters which may affect the retail sale
13 and consumption of beer, wine, and alcoholic liquor and the
14 health, welfare and morals of the community involved. However,
15 local authorities shall not adopt ordinances or regulations
16 restricting access to the premises of any wine or beer and
17 liquor control licensed establishment to any person nineteen
18 years of age or older.

19 EXPLANATION

20 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
21 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

22 This bill provides that a city or county shall not adopt any
23 ordinance or regulation restricting access to the premises of
24 any wine or beer and liquor control licensed establishment to
25 any person 19 years of age or older.